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Examiner: Yvonne Renee Abbott

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

ALEXANDER VAN DER LELY ET AL

Serial No.: 10/073,023

Filed: February 12, 2002

For: A DEVICE FOR AND METHOD OF MONITORING ANIMALS

Our Ref: 8553/251

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To The Honorable Commissioner of Patents

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Submitted herewith in accordance with 37 CFR §1.17(a)(3) is a check to cover the amount of \$475.00 to extend the period for filing a Response in the above-identified Application for a total period of three (3) months expiring March 23, 2004, such an extension being hereby petitioned.

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

If this is in error, please debit or credit our Account No. 13-2000 as appropriate.

A duplicate of this Petition is attached hereto.

Respectfully submitted,

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